



## **SEPTEMBER 13, 2017 MEETING MINUTES**

Club Officers:           Joyce Artis, President  
                                Jerry Mihay, Vice President  
                                Shirley Bozell, Secretary  
                                Debbie Mensendiek, Treasurer

Members Present: Joyce and Richard Artis, Frank and Sandy Bayles, Richard and Shirley Bozell, Stormy and Chuck Butler, John and Alice Curry, Lonnie and Sharon Hembree, Dee Dee Johns, Steve and Martha Knott, Rick and Linda Mackey, Donald and Janice McCrary, Jerry Mihay, Dave and Julia Murphy, and Dave and Valarie Sell.

The September meeting of the Hoosier Mustang Club was held on September 13, 2017, at the Sirloin Stockade, Columbus, Indiana. The meeting was called to order by Joyce Artis, President, at 7:00 pm.

### **Presentations:**

Joyce Artis presented a plaque of appreciation to Steve Knott of Master Power Transmission, for providing the use of their facility on Tenth Street for our Summer Slam Car Show.

Shirley Bozell introduced Jim Dineen, Chief Risk Officer, of Centra Credit Union. A plaque was presented to him in appreciation of Centra's Corporate sponsorship of the Summer Slam Car Show.

The 50/50 raffle was won by Dave Sell in the amount of \$9.00.

A motion was made by Valarie Sell, seconded by Richard Bozell and unanimously approved accepting the minutes of the August 9, 2017 meeting as presented.

### **Treasurer's Report:**

In the absence of our Treasurer, Joyce Artis presented the Treasurer's Report as provided by Debbie Mensendiek. Our beginning balance from the August meeting was \$4,006.89. Deposits of \$2,521.00 were reported. Expenses (related to our car show, including the \$3,694.69 given to Love Chapel) were reported in the amount of \$4,006.28.

The balance was \$2,521.61 as of September 7, 2017.

**Events:**

Valarie Sell presented the following upcoming events:

- Sept. 16, Hot Rods and Rock and Roll  
(Members attending are to meet at noon at the DQ)
- Sept. 22, Fish Fry at Frank and Sandy Bayles (7:00 – 9:00 pm)
- Sept. 23, Cruise to Stream Cliff Farms (9:30 am to 3:30 pm.)  
(Meet at Target at 9:30 am)
- Sept. 24, Hope Heritage Day Parade (currently not enough interested to register for the parade)
- Sept. 29, Chicago Pizza Cruise-in (6:30 pm)
- Oct. 21, A Fall Foliage Cruise to the Cincinnati School House Restaurant was discussed
- Dec. 2, Festival of Lights Parade (Club needs to know in November if anyone is interested)

**Old Business:**

Julia Murphy thanked everyone for the thoughtful cards she has received.

**New Business:**

Valarie Sell asked members for input about the types of activities they would be interested in for the upcoming year.

Richard Artis pointed out that next year would be the 40<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the Hoosier Mustang Club. Renner Ford has expressed interest in participating.

Dave Sell suggested putting together an Anniversary Book with pictures.

Frank Bayles noted that October 14 is the Derby City Car Show which is in Louisville and sponsored by Bill Collins Ford. Registration is \$10.00. October 13 is the Pony Trail. Also noted was that the Ethnic Expo Parade is October 7.

**Car Show Report:**

Joyce Artis reported that our Summer Slam Car Show was a huge success. She presented a detailed list of all car show income of \$5,141,00. The detailed car show expenses were \$1,446.31. Our donation of \$3,694.69 was presented to Love Chapel.

Joyce commended all the members who did a great job organizing, preparing and working at the show. Club members thanked her for all the work she did to help make the show a success.

Joyce had asked for input on areas in which the club could improve upon for next years show.

One suggestion was to designate better entrance lanes to allow for separation of spectators and those wanting to enter to register and show their cars.

Another suggestion was to get our sponsorships in place earlier so as to allow earlier printing

and distribution of our flier that could reflect that sponsorship. Placing contact information on the front of the flier was also suggested.

Having the registration table with better signage was suggested.

Jerry Mihay and his band were commended for excellent entertainment as well as making all announcements.

A better, more convenient location for the trophy table was suggested.

Everyone seemed pleased with our food vendor and suggested inviting him back again next year.

Joyce read a thank you letter from a vendor – Howard, the Photographer – who spoke of the cooperation and overall help given to him by club members.

Richard Artis reminded everyone that next month – October – is the time for nomination of officers for the following year. The Club then discussed the merit of having a Car Show Chairperson versus having Committees set up to handle the different areas of responsibilities.

Richard Bozell suggested that all members start early with handing out letters of requests for sponsorships and donations for next year's car show. Discussion followed with suggestions of approaching vendors at other car shows, seeking support for ours.

Dave Sell suggested having our fliers ready by the first of the year since we do know our location and date. Since Valarie has a data base of this year's attendees we could send information out early to both individuals and groups.

Club members discussed the 40<sup>th</sup> Anniversary with Renner Ford. Discussion needs to take place with Renners and Dave Sell proposed a date of May 5.

It would be good to know about corporate sponsorship as early as possible.

Steve Knott confirmed the use of the Master Power Transmission Plant for next year's show.

Dave Sell suggested having a display of information about the Hoosier Mustang Club along with membership forms available Saturday at Hot Rods and Rock and Roll.

A motion was made by Don McCrary, seconded by Frank Bayles and unanimously passed to adjourn the meeting. The meeting was adjourned at 7:50 pm.

**NEXT REGULAR MEETING – OCTOBER 11, 2017**

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO ALL WHO HAD BIRTHDAYS IN SEPTEMBER**